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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121

Dear Commissioner:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 2, 2008. Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, the invention identified as Invention I by the Examiner (claims 1-38 and 50-87) drawn to a device. If the Examiner has any further questions regarding the matter, the Examiner is directed to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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